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SUBJ: WDC SPECIAL COMMITTEE

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1. CCD DEL REPORTS THAT SOVIETS INTERPRETING ALL BUT
UNEQUIVOCALLY NEGATIVE ANSWERS TO THEIR RECENT SERIES
DEMARCHES ON SPECIAL COMMITTEE AS A WILLINGNESS TO ATTEND
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MEETING OF COMMITTEE IF CONVENED BY SYG. DEPARTMENT AGREES WITH CCD DEL THAT THERE POSSIBILITY THAT SOVS MAY MISREPRESENT TO UN SECRETARIAT REAL NATURE OF RESPONSES TO THESE DEMARCHES. OUR READING IS THAT MOST COUNTRIES HAVE GENUINELY NEGATIVE REACTION TO CONVENING OF SPECIAL COMMITTEE WITHOUT PARTICIPATION BY ALL NUCLEAR POWERS AND THAT WHILE FEW COUNTRIES WOULD WISH TO SAY CATEGORICALLY THAT THEY WOULD NOT ATTEND, ALMOST ALL WOULD PREFER THAT COMMITTEE NOT MEET UNDER EXISTING CIRCUMSTANCES. WE HAVE NO INDICATION ANY NON-COMMUNIST COUNTRY THINKS COMMITTEE COULD PRESENTLY ACCOMPLISH USEFUL WORK, GIVEN ITS HISTORY AND CURRENT SITUATION, AND BELIEVE THAT MOST WOULD PREFER SEE IT IN LIMBO, AT LEAST UNTIL NEXT UNGA.

2. THEREFORE, REQUEST THAT USUN, AS OPPORTUNITY ARISES, MAKE KNOWN TO SYG STAFF OUR VIEW OF CURRENT STATE OF OPINION ON SPECIAL COMMITTEE AND THAT WE CONCERNED SOVS WILL REPRESENT DEMARCHE RESPONSES, WHICH BASICALLY NEGATIVE, AS BODY OF OPINION MAKING IT APPROPRIATE FOR SYG TO PROCEED TO CONVENE SPECIAL COMMITTEE MEETING. ROGERS

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